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## PUBLISHERS MET AT MIDLAND

ENJOY SIGHT-SEEING AND GOLF

The publishers of the Tenth Congressional district of Michigan were called to Midland last week Saturday to listen to a program prepared in the interest of better newspapers and to discuss problems of the craft.

The pen pushers were guests of the "boys and girls of the Midland Republican staff." Headquarters were at the beautiful new Country club-house.

Many of the guests arrived in time for lunch. In the afternoon some played golf, others, especially the ladies, visited the beautiful Dow gardens and estate, and others the Dow Chemical Co. plant and the famous Midland court house. It so happened that those who played golf didn't have time for the other affairs, so they missed a lot of the interesting attractions Midland has to offer. A person should have a week to do the city justice.

Midland's new Country clubhouse is one of the most beautiful we have ever seen. It was completed last spring at a cost of \$150,000. The architecture is quite modernistic and is beautiful. The lobbies are large and comfortably furnished, and have large fire places at the ends of the rooms—two on the first floor and two on the second floor.

On the first floor there is a large public dining room and also a private dining room and guest rooms. Also there is a banquet room on the second floor, and more guest rooms, in singles and suites. There are several rows of lockers in the basement, lavatories, showers and indoor games.

The course has 18 holes, the fairways being varied in shapes and distances and with a variety of hazards that go to make the game thrilling and interesting. It truly is a great course.

Gilbert A. Currie, former congressman of the Tenth district, who has a lot of Grayling friends, is president of the Country club and it was mainly thru his efforts that they now have such a fine club house.

W. R. Crissey, editor and publisher of the Midland Republican, and Philip T. Rich, managing editor, and their wives were on hand and saw to it that everyone was made welcome and that they had a good time. Mr. Crissey is the vice president of the Tenth district press association. Geo. R. Averill, Birmingham, president of the State Press association, and Jos. Sturgeon, East Lansing, field secretary of the association were in attendance and addressed the meeting.

## CHURCH NOTES

MICHELSON MEMORIAL  
H. J. Salmon, Pastor.

Church School—10:00 a. m.  
We had a fine attendance last Sunday. Let us keep it up and be in our class next Sunday. Invite some one who is not attending any other church.

Morning worship—11:00 a. m.  
Senior League—8:00 p. m.  
Evening service—7:00 p. m.  
The Senior League had their election of officers Monday night. The following were elected:

President—Kenneth Gothro.  
1st Vice Pres.—Robert Funk.  
2nd Vice Pres.—DeVere Schmidt.  
3rd Vice Pres.—Mildred Parker.  
4th Vice Pres.—Betty Welsh.  
Sec. & Treas.—Jean Peterson.  
Pianist—Betty Welsh.

For next month a contest is on, with Mildred Parker and Clara Atkinson as captains. At the close of the month the losing side will entertain the winners.

## Benefit Winter Sports

There will be a  
**Halloween Dance**  
at Temple Theatre on  
Sat. Night, Oct. 31

Admission 75c couple  
Ladies 25c

### MR. EDISON ON IMMORTALITY

Relatively few people reach a state of mind which enables them to say with the late Thomas A. Edison, "If there is life hereafter, or if there is none, it does not matter." Most men today live either in an earnest hope or dire dread of immortality. Or, if they dissent from the general belief in life after death, find comfort in the prospect of annihilation.

Few of us are wise enough and strong enough to live as we believe life ought to be lived and then remain content to let the question of a future existence take care of itself. Few of us are able to keep before our minds an acute realization that talk, speculation, argument and desire are utterly impotent to change the fact about the existence or non-existence of immortality; and that the best we can do is to order our ways so that in the event of an awakening beyond death, we will be in position to exist comfortably and happily thereafter.

Certainly there is nothing to be lost by a life of proper preparation for possible eventualities, and there may be much to be gained. And as certainly, if the order of the universe contains no provision for resurrection of man there will be no regret for we never will know that we labored in vain.—Detroit Free Press.

### LEGIONAIRES TO MEET AT MIDLAND

Midland Legionaires are looking forward to Monday night, November 2, as one of the big events in local history and they expect a capacity crowd for the Community Center that night when they will dine, dance, and be otherwise entertained. Ladies have been invited to accompany the men to this meeting and from the sale of tickets the affair has already been assured a large audience. Legion men and women from the whole Tenth district have been invited and an impressive aggregation of officials is expected.

According to Royal F. Baringer, an attempt is being made to secure Governor Wilbur M. Brucker for the session and it is definitely known that Leslie P. Kenyon, State Commander of Bay City will be present as well as A. H. Gansser and several others in Legion work. Mr. DeGard, James of Lapeer, Patz Mason of Blanchard and Laurin Budge of Beaverdam will also be present. Mr. Percy LaBree will handle the dinner arrangements.

### NOTICE

Dr. A. S. Allard, optometrist, of Bay City will be in Grayling at Shoppe's on Thursday, Oct. 29. See him about your eyes.

Glasses fitted that give you comfort, and the price is reasonable. Remember the date, Thursday, October 29.

Dr. A. S. Allard,  
Optometrist.

## ODD THINGS AND NEW—By Lane Bode



## GAYLORD POTATO SHOW NEXT WEEK

Next week the Ninth Annual Potato, Apple & Seed Show is being held at Gaylord.

While its beginning dates back only to 1923, it has grown to be the leading agricultural institution in northern Michigan. At first comprising only five counties, it now comprises twelve, all working together for better agriculture in the Top O' Michigan.

For three years only potatoes were exhibited. Later apples were added and alfalfa seed has been admitted for the first time this year.

It is a growing institution and every farmer in the Top O' Michigan should visit it whether he be an exhibitor or not.

The three days are full of interesting and instructive programs. Over twenty-five different individuals will have a definite part in the program, most of them of state reputation, a few of national reputation and one of international fame.

Plan now to go down to the show and take an exhibit if possible.

The dates are October 28, 29 and 30.

**WOODBURN SCHOOL NOTES**  
A haze on the far horizon  
The infinite, tender sky  
The rich, ripe tints of the cornfield  
And the wild geese flying high,  
And all over upland and lowland  
The charm of the golden rod.  
Some of us call it Autumn.  
Others call it God.

Potato digging days are over and the boys are back in school.

Our school board furnished us a new set of text books. We were sorely in need of them.

For hygiene work the Seventh grade are working on a series of posters to illustrate health rules.

Today the girls are cleaning the school room and getting ready to put up our Halloween decorations.

Teacher—What is that lump on your forehead, Emma?  
Emma—Oh, that's where a thought struck me.

Father—How are you getting along at school?  
Wellman—O, pretty well. I'm trying awfully hard to get ahead.  
Father—That's good. You need one.

The 1931 law requiring registration of airplanes has been in effect since Sept. 18, and only three manufacturers and 14 planes have registered. As soon as all planes are registered the Department of State plans to make an analysis of the use of planes in pleasure and commercial flying in Michigan.

**GABBY GERTIE**



"A gold digger generally follows a new wave with a scap treatment."

## MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE CO. TO HOLD EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

In the course of the year the Michigan Public Service Co. holds a series of six educational programs, which is a get-together of employees of the northern Division. The fifth of this series is to be held in Grayling tonight at Danebod hall, beginning promptly at 8:00 o'clock. Don Reynolds, local manager for the Company is the chairman on arrangement of programs for this year. Following is the one to be presented in Grayling:

"Public Relations"—Engineering Dept.—Ralph Gouine, Meter tester, Cheboygan.

"Physical Appearance of Plant and Distribution System"—Mr. Pratt, Maintenance man, Boyne City.

"Public Utility Economics"—Dorothy Morrow, Stenographer, Cheboygan.

"Our Service in Local Industry"—George Vance, Lineman, Pellston.

"The Benefits of Regulation to the Public and Industry"—Ernest Hedman, Meter reader, Cheboygan.

"Benefits of Consolidation"—Mr. L. G. Bask, District Manager, Cheboygan.

"Film"—George Brown, Representative General Electric Co., Lamp Division.

"Questionnaire"—Dorothy Clark, Cashier, East Jordan.

"Message From Management"—C. L. Mosher, Chief Engineer, Traverse City.

Chairman—Don Reynolds, Local Manager, Grayling.

**DEPT. OF STATE**  
STATE NEWS BULLETIN

In an effort to aid the unemployed situation, Secretary of State Frank D. Fitzgerald has announced that 1932 automobile license plates will be placed on sale Nov. 14.

This date is 15 days earlier than in former years, but it is thought that the advance in date will stimulate the purchase of new model automobiles and thus provide increased employment for Michigan workmen.

No change has been made regarding the 1931 license plates. They may be used legally until March 1, 1932 but an appeal, based on state patriotism, has been made to all persons, financially able to do so, to purchase 1932 plates by Jan. 1 to assist Michigan in financing its \$10,000,000 highway construction program, affording work to about 30,000 men.

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**BEAVER CREEK "STANDARD" SCHOOL NOTES**

Last Wednesday we played baseball with Love School and won, the score being 7-15. But our luck was not so good on Friday when we played Grayling, for we lost, the score being 6-18.

Bernard Palmer has returned from Flint. Bernard says he had a good time while there. Gloria June Mortenson has not yet returned.

The first graders are building a doll house.

We are busy making Halloween decorations for our room.

Mildred Leaverton was absent from school Monday on account of illness.

The Third and Fourth grade geography class is keeping a "Wind Rose." We think this is great fun.

## SCHOOL NOTES

Juniors Upset Seniors in Main Tilt Of Tuesday Afternoon's Double Header

Tuesday night another epoch in interclass baseball history of Grayling High was enacted when the Juniors defeated the Seniors by a score of 10-8 in a snappy game. Bill Harrison hurled for the Seniors and Sheehy occupied the mound for the Juniors. Both pitched "Spotty" ball. Mr. Poor did some snappy fielding when he dashed over from "first" and caught a fly Harrison had muffed. Jack LaGrow was high scorer for the Juniors and Poor and Miller tied for the honors on the Senior lineup.

The Eighth graders overbelieved "Frosh" in the second tilt of the afternoon by a score of 12-2. The boys from the "Eighth" knocked Rudy Harrison, who twirled for the "Frosh," all over the diamond. The old "Maestro," Mr. Cushman, tossed the sphere for the Eighth graders and held the "Frosh" to two runs. The first run was brought in by Harrison on errors, and the other run was chalked up during their out. The Freshmen who trimmed the "haughty Juniors" last week were certainly out of stride and unable to cope with the fast playing and superb pitching of their opponents.

Monday night the Seniors will play the Eighth graders and the winners of this game will play the Juniors for the interclass championship Tuesday night. All three teams are confident of easy victory, but Tuesday night will tell the tale.

The ratings of the teams are as follows:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Juniors	2	1	.750
Seniors	2	1	.600
Eighth	2	1	.600
Freshmen	1	2	.333
Seventh	0	1	.000
Sophomore	0	2	.000

These interclass ball games have brought out the fine sportsmanship of our students and the friendly rivalry is conducive in bringing out the best the fellows have in them. We hope to see more of this interclass competition and we are looking forward with the highest anticipation to better games to come.

"Gabby."

**The Sophomore Class Party.**

The first party of the Sophomore class took place Monday, October 19th at Cottage Lake. The majority of us girls, who had started walking at about four-thirty, were picked up by the truck and car that had met the rest of the class at the school house. We arrived safe and sound, but a little chilly. The boys then built the fire and we soon had the coffee boiling and wienies roasting. We all gathered around the fire with our buns, "hot-dogs" and coffee, which seemed to be the best part of the party. These soon disappeared and we were ready for the games—run, sheep-run, Ruth and Jacob, and hide-and-go-seek, and songs. At about eight o'clock the party broke up. After we were again piled into the truck and car, we started for home singing and as happy as could be.

Matilda Engel.

Arrangements were made Monday morning, October 19th, for the students of Grayling School to hear the program celebrating the 150th anniversary of the Battle of Yorktown, over radio furnished by Herfur Sorson and Son. All of the students from the fourth grade on, up were called to the Assembly hall at 10:30. The program was opened by music played by the United States army band. While waiting for the President's address, Mr. Poor gave a review of the Yorktown battle. He told of the conditions prior to and after the battle and said that this battle ended the war which brought freedom. Next the student body sang "The Star Spangled Banner" and "America." Then all listened to the President's address which was the first one to be heard by the students while at school. President Hoover said in his speech, "It is not too much to say that without Washington the war for Independence would not have been won." Also he said, "The victory of Yorktown was a victory for mankind. It was another blaze in the great trail of human freedom. Through these ideas and ideals the minds of a people were liberated, their exertions and accomplishments stimulated." The program was ended by the playing of "America."

Grace Woodburn.

Many good times are to be had by the Juniors this year and Monday night meeting, it was decided the first frolic would be on Friday Oct. 23. President William LaGrow chose a committee of four: Nadine Newton, Mildred Parker, Wilma Peterson, and Robert Funk, to decide just how much fun and food should be packed into the affair. If plans work out everyone is due to have an upsurgeous time.

Mildred Parker.

**DANISH LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Services in English will be held the first and third Sundays in each month. Other Sundays the services will be in Danish.

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## REXALL 1C SALE NOV. 1 TO 7

McNamara & Gidley, the local Rexall Druggists have just received a personal letter from Louis K. Liggett—leading figure in the drug world, old friend of former President Coolidge and a keen student of modern business. The message sent from Boston headquarters of this outstanding pacemaker in successful merchandising is as full of good news as an English Walrus is of meat.

Mr. Liggett throws some mighty interesting sidelights on current business affairs and has crowded much unanswerable logic into the document. Referring to one of his conversations with former President Calvin Coolidge, he tells that after an hour's discussion of business problems, Mr. Coolidge declared: "Supply and demand will make the price. It always has and always will. You cannot control what God produces."

Mr. Coolidge was referring to the English attempt that failed, to regulate production and price of rubber, and Mr. Liggett's comment is, "No special legislation—no national legislation—no world intercourse or world courts can establish a value that will turn the flow of business. Calvin Coolidge was right when he said that price can be regulated only by supply and demand."

The fact that at this particular time of business stress there is listed the largest number of Rexall drug stores in Grayling's history, was received with no little satisfaction, because it proved to him the wisdom of becoming the Rexall druggist in this particular locality where the profit and good will assured by the Rexall plan to both the one who sells and the one who buys has been a community affair of mutual benefit.

"I think the biggest merchandising idea that has ever been promulgated in America is the fall one cent sale," continued Mr. Liggett, and he gives this bit of history: "I brought this sale to you in the fall of 1914, after war had been declared between the European countries. Everything was at a standstill. Stock markets were closed. Everything was going to hell in a hack, and the one-cent sale put your business over then and it will do the same thing this fall."

More money is going to be spent on the publicity program for this autumn One Cent Sale than has ever been expended before. As its projector who gave it to the independent druggists who have accepted the Rexall merchandising plan, Mr. Liggett says: "The theme and scheme back of the One Cent Sale is clean—it is wholesome—it is truthful. It is merchandising from factory to consumer with the lowest possible intermediate profit. You will give employment in your stores by reason of what your consumers buy. And after all, that is what is going to tide us over!"

This Rexall One Cent Sale will be run the first week in November and the people of this community will share in this greatest festival of buying opportunity of the current strenuous year.

**ROSCOMMON BANK SAID TO BE IN GOOD SHAPE**

J. J. McGraph, Detroit, has been appointed temporary receiver to take charge of the Roscommon State Bank which closed its doors 10 days ago. The appointment was made at a special session of the circuit court held Tuesday with Judge Guy E. Smith on the bench.

An examination of the affairs of the institution by the state banking department indicated the bank was in an excellent condition and the suspension was due to a desire of the officers to conserve the assets against heavy withdrawals.

It is reported a reorganization will shortly be effected and the bank reopened.—Roscommon Herald-News.

### A SATISFIED CUSTOMER

Pittsburgh, Pa.,  
October 16th, 1931

Mr. H. Skingley,  
Grayling, Mich.

Dear Sir:  
During week of August 16th, I stopped at your shop and you welded a broken spring for me with your new electric welder.

Promised you I'd let you know how the job held up. I have driven about 2000 miles since then and spring is still O.K.

I remember you remarked that you could "weld-like nobody's business" and it looks as if you were right. I know you helped me out wonderfully that day and it is appreciated.

Very truly yours,  
J. E. Largent,  
Ticket Agent.

What the wheat surplus calls for is a million more young brides to burn up one slice of toast in three.

Richmond Times-Dispatch.

## Rialto Theatre (GRAYLING)

Saturday, Oct. 24th (only)

Bill Boyd  
in  
**"THE BIG GAMBLE"**

Chapter No. 7  
**"VANISHING LEGION"** featuring Harry Carey and Frankie Darro.

Sunday and Monday, Oct. 25-26

George Arliss  
in  
**"THE MILLIONAIRE"**

Comedy News Sportlite

Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 27-28

Adventures of the Seal Hunt with All Star Cast

in  
**"THE VIKING"**

Comedy News

Thursday and Friday, Oct. 29-30

William Powell  
in  
**"THE ROAD TO SINGAPORE"**

African Jungle Series—Comedy.

**Have you tried our Special**

**Piked Steak**

**Deliciously Tender and Juicy**

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1931.

## Local Happenings

Mrs. Alfred Hanson and Miss  
Lozon motored to Bay City Saturday  
to spend the day.

We are having what they call our  
Indian summer. Warm balmy days  
with lots of sunshine.

Misses Bertha Denewitt and Ethel  
Rich spent Thursday in Indian River  
visiting Miss Peggy Baker.

Glenn Livingston and Leon Olds  
of Clarksville were guests of Miss  
Bertha Denewitt Wednesday.

Misses Margaret and Olga Nelson  
spent the week end in Saginaw visit-  
ing Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson.

SALE. Canvas gloves, all styles  
10 to 25 cents; 8 pair for the price  
of 2 pair, at Olson's Shoe Store.

Merle Frey accompanied by Misses  
Bertha Denewitt and Ethel Rich were  
visitors in Cheboygan over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Neiderer motored  
to Mackinac City Sunday and  
visited at the Charles Ewalt home.

Fr. Troy of Bay City arrived yester-  
day for a few days of bird hunt-  
ing and is a guest of Fr. Culligan.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson of Bay  
City spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs.  
Adolph Peterson enroute to Johannes-  
burg.

Mrs. P. G. Shaw and Mrs. F. A.  
Barnett attended Grand Chapter of  
the Eastern Star held at Grand  
Rapids last week.

Services in English will be held  
on the first and third Sundays in  
each month. Other Sundays the ser-  
vices will be in Danish.

Miss Bertha Denewitt returned  
home after several weeks in Clarksville.  
Mr. Merle Frey accompanied  
her home and spent the week end.

Grayling Lodge F. & A. M. will  
hold a school of instruction on Tues-  
day evening, Oct. 27. Grand Lec-  
turer Arthur J. Fox will be present.

The Danish Ladies Aid society  
gave their annual church supper last  
evening that is always looked  
forward to by those who like Danish  
cooking. There was a large crowd  
in attendance and a nice sum was  
realized to add to the church treas-  
ury.

Nels Olson, 16 year old son of  
Mr. and Mrs. Ebern Olson, shot off  
the first finger of his right hand  
while hunting rabbits about two  
miles down the river this noon. He  
said that he was showing his com-  
panions how to load the gun when it  
discharged.

Deputy Sheriff Frank May went to  
Chicago last week to bring back  
Charles Harvey, charged with desec-  
ration. By the time he arrived in Chi-  
cago others identified him as one of  
a party of hold-up men. Thereupon  
the Chicago officials held him there  
for prosecution. It is stated that  
there is also a charge of bigamy  
held up against Harvey.

Most everyone that enjoys bird  
hunting has been in the woods the  
past week in quest of partridge and  
other birds, which may be hunted  
during the season Oct. 15 to 26th.  
Some have been lucky and brought  
home several birds, while others who  
have not been so lucky have enjoyed  
the tramp in the woods, as the  
weather has been ideal the past few  
days.

Miss Mary Harriett Charters has  
started a series of dancing classes  
here, the first one being held Wed-  
nesday. Miss Charters is a graduate  
of the Chaffin School of Dancing,  
New York. Afternoons will be  
devoted to children and the evenings  
to adults. Miss Charters teaches  
several types of dancing. The Board  
of Trade rooms are being used for  
the classes. Miss Charters is accom-  
panied by Mrs. Harry Martin, Bay City.

Mr. Melvin Marshall, son of Mr.  
and Mrs. Earl Marshall of this city  
was united in marriage to Miss  
Edna Adlam of Cheboygan last Sat-  
urday evening at the home of the  
bride's mother, Mrs. E. Adlam, in  
Cheboygan. Paul Hendrickson of  
Grayling acted as best man while  
Miss Florence Penoyer of Detroit  
was the bridesmaid. Rev. Berg of  
Cheboygan performed the ceremony  
after which a reception was held.  
There were about thirty-five relatives  
and friends present including the  
groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl  
Marshall. The groom is popular  
among the younger set of Grayling  
and is extended congratulations and  
best wishes.

Strange how with wide-spreading  
fields of snowy white, the cotton  
prospects is yet indigo blue—Colum-  
bia (S. C.) State.

The tiger that swam down the  
Jamuna River in India with a man  
clinging to his tail might now try  
the English Channel swim and get  
some publicity—Indianapolis News.

## START SOMETHING

A decade ago, when the United  
States was passing through a period  
of industrial depression, John Wan-  
amaker, founder of one of the most  
successful mercantile houses in the  
country, wrote:

There will be plenty of work  
for all if we show our faith, not  
by relaxing our efforts, holding  
back in fear, putting on blue  
glasses, and keeping our money  
in our pockets, but by making  
needed improvements, starting to  
build and rebuild, buying and sell-  
ing, everything we have, for the  
good of the country. Money  
must come out of its hiding  
place, in banks and in the homes,  
and go to work along with our  
mental and physical energy, to  
build new homes, new stores, new  
factories, new businesses, new  
courage and new faith. I have  
more faith in America today and  
more expectation for the future  
than at any time in my 60 years  
as a merchant.

John Wanamaker knew what he  
was talking about. The process to  
which he exhorted his countrymen in  
1921 derrieked them out of the dol-  
lars and ushered in a period of un-  
precedented prosperity. The same  
processes are required today to meet  
and defeat another spell of economic  
subsidence, with its concomitant fear  
and hesitancy. They will lead up-  
ward in 1931, as surely as they did  
in 1921.—Detroit Free Press.

FOUNDATION FOR MEMORIAL  
TO LUMBERMEN COMPLETED

Oscoda, Oct. 20.—With the founda-  
tion of the memorial monument to  
pioneer lumbermen completed, at  
the junction of the federal road and  
the AuSable river road, workmen are  
awaiting the arrival of the nine-foot  
bronze statue to be erected here.

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in quality.

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marks one of the greatest ad-  
vances in vacuum cleaner history  
—50% more efficient than  
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Spic-Span... complete for \$15.50

**Michigan Public  
Service Co.**

News Review of Current  
Events the World OverSino-Japanese Row Provides Severe Test for League of  
Nations—Chancellor Bruening Defies  
Fascists and Reds.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

**R**EAL war between China and  
Japan became during the week  
of a probability than a threat.  
Moreover, the situation in the Far  
East developed into a  
crucial test of the  
League of Nations as an  
organization for the  
preservation of peace,  
and made likely an  
equally important test  
of the value of the  
multilateral Kellogg  
treaty banning war.  
It was believed that  
if the efforts of the  
council failed, the  
United States and  
the league would in-  
voke the Kellogg pact, and that if  
either China or Japan continued re-  
calcitrant, diplomatic relations with  
the offending nation might be severed.

The league council resumed its  
hearings of the controversy, and Dr.  
Alfred Sze, Chinese representative,  
and Kenkichi Yoshizawa, Japanese  
delegate, spoke at length. The former  
demanded immediate action by the  
league, declaring that a miscarriage  
of justice would jeopardize the faith  
of the world in Geneva and doom to  
failure the international disarmament  
conference near February. Yoshizawa  
countered by explaining and defend-  
ing Japan's actions in Manchuria and  
reiterated the intention of his gov-  
ernment to permit no outside inter-  
vention in the dispute. He said the  
matter could be settled only by direct  
negotiations between Japan and  
China. Doctor Sze replied: "China will  
never agree to such a course so long  
as Japanese troops invade her soil  
and until Japan makes just reparations  
for the loss of Chinese lives and  
property."

While the debate was in progress  
Doctor Sze received word that Japa-  
nese army planes had just bombed  
two more towns far west of Mukden.  
This action, like the bombing of Chin-  
chow, was later defended by Tokyo  
with the assertion that Chinese had  
fired at the planes, which were scout-  
ing.

Notwithstanding the strenuous ob-  
jections of Japan, the council voted 13  
to 1, to invite the United States to  
participate in the discussion of mea-  
sures to end the hostilities in Man-  
churia. This invitation Secretary  
Rising had already said would be  
accepted, and Consul Prentiss B. Gil-  
bert was on hand to represent this  
country though without a vote. Japan,  
it was thought, might withdraw from  
the league.

The American diplomatic commis-  
sion investigating the Manchurian  
crisis continued its work, but was for-  
bidden by the Japanese to go to Chin-  
chow.

Throughout much of China the anti-  
Japanese boycott was gaining momen-  
tum, and this especially irked  
Tokyo. It became evident that the  
Japanese cabinet,  
creatively reported  
split over the policy  
in Manchuria, had  
come together again  
and that Premier  
Hidatsugu was sup-  
porting the militar-  
ists.

It is feared by the  
Nanking government  
that Manchuria was  
definitely lost by  
China. Chang Hsueh-  
liang, the young gov-  
ernor of the province,  
appeared to have been driven out by  
the Japanese, who are determined to  
shall not re-establish his control there.  
This determination was probably the  
real reason for the bombing of Chin-  
chow, which Chang had made his  
temporary capital. Civic organiza-  
tions in Manchuria appealed to the  
Nationalist government to resume re-  
lations with Soviet Russia, saying  
that only in that way could the an-  
nexation of Manchuria by Japan be  
prevented. Marshal Chiang was mov-  
ing his troops to strategic points, and  
eventually was backed up by President  
Chiang Kai-shek, who has declared  
himself prepared to go to war with  
Japan if the efforts of the league and  
the United States are futile.

**SPAIN'S** national assembly has an  
overwhelming vote adopted an  
article in the new constitution: the  
religion which declares that "no state  
religion exists." Thus was the Catho-  
lic church divorced from its union  
with the state which has existed for  
many centuries. The article also  
bans the church from engaging in  
commercial, industrial and education-  
al activities.

Another article which would dis-  
solve all church orders was rejected,  
but one was adopted that provides for  
the expulsion of all Jesuits from Spain,  
to take place when the constitution  
goes into effect. Only the Socialist  
radicals insisted on the wholesale ex-  
pulsion of monks and nuns.

The action of the Cortes was fol-  
lowed by anti-clerical demonstrations  
in a number of cities, and at Sacra-  
ment an attempt was made to burn a  
Carmelite convent.

Not in sympathy with the action  
against the Catholic church and or-  
ders, President Zamora resigned and  
Minister of War Manuel Azaña be-  
came head of the government.

**INCORPORATED** under the laws of  
Delaware, the National Credit  
corporation was prepared to go ahead  
with its mission of assisting banks  
throughout the country to utilize  
their resources to further the stabili-  
zation of financial and economic con-  
ditions. The corporation has 12 direc-  
tors, one from each federal reserve

district, and each of them holds one  
of the 12 shares of \$100 par value.  
The funds within which the cor-  
poration will operate will be raised  
through the sale of debentures to the  
banks of the country on the basis  
of 2 per cent. of their aggregate de-  
posits, or the legal limit of invest-  
ments, if that is lower.

These deposits aggregate \$48,000-  
000,000. Corporations and private  
banking firms are expected to sub-  
scribe for the debentures also and it  
is possible that the total funds raised  
for the corporation will approximate  
\$1,000,000,000.

Administration officials in Wash-  
ington believe agriculture will share in-  
directly but largely in the benefits  
from the operations of the corpora-  
tion. Banks in agricultural sections  
will be enabled to realize on frozen  
assets through services of the bank-  
ing pool. Credit thus will be made  
available to put banks in a better  
position to lend for agricultural as  
well as other purposes. At the same  
time banks will be enabled to ease  
up on their demands, which will re-  
sult in turn to lessen the pressure  
upon farmers and live stock producers  
who have obligations outstanding.

**CHANCELLOR BRUENING** of Ger-  
many is now practically the econ-  
omic dictator of his country. He and  
President Von Hindenburg are de-  
termined to save the reich from the Hitler-  
ites, called Fascists, and the Communists.

The aged president announced that he  
would accept the chairmanship of an  
economic council which will assume  
dictatorship of the nation at least for  
the coming winter, but Bruening will  
be the real boss for the  
council. It is expected, will work in  
close collaboration with him and his  
new cabinet.

The council, as conceived by Von  
Hindenburg, will be composed of rep-  
resentatives of workers, industrialists  
and bankers and will thus have the  
entire industrial and commercial  
framework of the nation under its  
control.

Herr Bruening had already tried to  
bring Adolf Hitler to a realization of  
his duty to Germany, calling him into  
conference and laying before him the  
desperate situation. The chancellor  
went before the Reichstag and, hold-  
ing defiance his political adversaries,  
presented his program of econom-  
ic, sacrifices and discipline. Its  
outstanding points were: Continuation  
of the coalition policy of Strese-  
mann; adoption of a plan for the re-  
demption of the nation's short term in-  
debtedness; the maintenance of wage  
agreements between capital and labor,  
with adjustment to suit existing price-  
levels; the maintenance of the gold  
standard, and the formation of steps  
to open the markets of the world to  
German goods.

**PRESIDENT HOOVER** and his ad-  
visers were studying various  
plans for the relief of the railroads,  
but nothing was decided on, and if  
the interstate commerce commission  
grants the increase in freight rates  
the roads ask, no further steps for  
helping the railroads are likely to be  
taken before congress meets.

**THOMAS K. AMBLE**, progressive  
Republican, was elected to con-  
gress by the voters of the First Wis-  
consin district to fill out the unex-  
pired term of the late Henry Allen  
Cooper, majority of the La Follette  
group in the house. Mr. Amble, who  
lives in Elkhorn and is a lawyer, was  
supported by the La Follette. His  
closest rival in the election was, sur-  
prisingly, A. J. Pomm of Racine. So-  
cialist candidate.

Amble, in his campaign, made at-  
tacks against the Eighteenth amend-  
ment, the Republican tariff and the  
administration's handling of the un-  
employment problem.

With victory for Amble the lineup  
in the house so far is: Republicans,  
215; Democrats, 214; Farmer-Labor,  
1, vacancies, 5.

**RENEWALS** of short term credits to  
Germany and Austria were voted  
by directors of the Bank for Inter-  
national Settlements at Basel. Dis-  
cussing international finance, the di-  
rectors emphasized the importance of  
the forthcoming meeting between  
President Hoover and Premier Laval  
of France in Washington and the dire  
necessity of the two nations reaching  
an agreement on world questions of  
finance, economics, and international  
obligations.

**PREMIER LAVAL'S** visit in Wash-  
ington is to be followed by one  
from Dino Grandi, Italian minister  
for foreign affairs. He was invited  
by President Hoover, and will come  
for ten days in the latter part of  
November.

M. Laval sailed from France on  
October 19, accompanied by a number  
of assistants and advisers in finance  
and economics and also by his char-  
ming young daughter.

**WAR** to the knife broke out dur-  
ing the week between Gov. Huey  
P. Long of Louisiana and Lieut. Gov.  
Paul N. Cyr. Though elected on the  
same ticket, the two men have been  
personal and political enemies, and  
Cyr has tried repeatedly to get Long  
out of the office. His latest coup was  
to take the oath of office as governor  
on the claim that Long was a United  
States senator and therefore not gov-  
ernor. This he did at Shreveport, and  
Long, who was in New Orleans, heard  
Cyr was moving on Baton Rouge, the  
state capital. He raced back by auto-  
mobile and called out part of the Na-  
tional Guard to repel invasion, but  
the report of Cyr's march proving un-  
founded, the militia were sent home.

Cyr repaired to his home in south-  
ern Louisiana after sending a letter  
to Long formally demanding surren-  
der of the governor's chair. He said  
if Long refused he would begin ouster  
proceedings.

**MRS. HOOVER** is becoming an  
admirer of "Christians." Her  
latest in that line was the naming  
of the American Clippers giant 91-  
Korsky amphitheater in Washington.  
The plans, largest yet built in this  
country, accommodates 48,000 persons.

The First Lady went to Buffalo on  
Wednesday and addressed the national  
convention of the Girl Scouts, of which  
organization she is the honorary  
president. She also dedicated the  
Girl Scout peace house, which faces  
the Niagara river near the Peace  
bridge.

**H**ERE is more trouble, indirectly,  
for Bishop James Cannon, Jr., of  
the Methodist church, South, pillar of  
the prohibition cause. Senator Carter  
Glas of Virginia, un-  
relenting foe of the  
bishop, has persuaded  
Attorney General  
Mitchell to order an  
investigation of  
charges made by the  
senator that Harry L.  
Goldhurst, the  
bishop's stock broker,  
was to be paroled  
from prison "in pur-  
sue of a blame-  
worthy agreement  
made by Department  
of Justice officials in New York and  
elsewhere." Goldhurst was convicted  
of using the mails to defraud, was  
sent to Atlanta penitentiary in Oc-  
tober, 1929, and last July it was an-  
nounced that he would be paroled on  
April 15, 1932.

The Virginia senator said it was re-  
ported that a conference had been  
held between Goldhurst, Bishop Can-  
non, and an unnamed New York poli-  
tician, and that subsequently Gold-  
hurst changed his plea of not guilty  
to one of guilty. This procedure, Sen-  
ator Glas maintained, might have been  
followed to hide the bishop's bucky  
stop speculation. He demanded that  
the attorney general learn whether  
there had been a promise that influ-  
ence would be used to get Goldhurst  
out on parole.

**T**HOUSANDS of persons assembled  
in Yorktown, Va. and helped in  
the elaborate celebration of the 150th  
anniversary of the surrender of Lord  
Cornwallis to George Washington. On  
Saturday day, the final day of the  
celebration, President Hoover delivered the  
main address; and other speeches  
were made during the celebration by  
Marshall Pétain of France, General  
Forbes, Secretary of War Hurley,  
Secretary of the Navy Adams and  
various other notables. Three thou-  
sand officers and men of the army  
were there, fully equipped, and in  
the York river was the historic frigate  
Constitution surrounded by dozens of  
the latest war ships of the American  
and French navies. The pageants, co-  
lonial dances and speechmaking lasted  
four days.

**M**OST of the members of Mexico's  
cabinet resigned, and in appoint-  
ing their successors, President Ortiz  
Rubio brought former President Calles  
to the fore, naming him minister of war.

**A**T THE time of writing it is still  
unknown whom Governor Larson  
of New Jersey will appoint to fill  
senate seat left vacant by the death  
of Dwight Morrow.

One of the leading  
possibilities is "Ed-  
ward C. Stokes, who  
was governor of New  
Jersey in 1905-1908,  
and has always been  
active in Republican  
politics of the state.  
He is a banker and  
resides in Trenton.  
The governor was  
suggested to name Mrs.

**E. C. Stokes** Morrow by many ad-  
visers, and A. Harry  
Moore, Democratic candidate for gov-  
ernor, said if she were appointed and  
if he were elected, she would con-  
tinue to hold the place.

**HE'LL BE ON HAND**  
The irrepressible, quick thinking,  
sharp-retorting, nonchalant Mike  
Gorman of the Flint Journal, will  
toast and roast in the same old, new  
way.

Mike has been lying awake nights  
planning for the event. When he  
arrives he'll forget all he planned  
and have everybody present wearing  
out the edge of the chairs.

The call goes out for old time  
women's bathing suits to be used at  
the meeting. Climb into your attic  
and pry open that old trunk. Drag  
out that moth-eaten relic of grand-  
mother's day or the suit mother used  
to cavort in.

Mrs. Sarah Boucher of Bay City  
has already come forward with a  
relic of 1893. It's all there, cover-  
ing from the head to the toes.

Pertinent points have been chosen  
for the afternoon discussion. No-  
body can afford to miss the opener:  
"Profit from Wild Life," with Harry  
Jewett, Thomas MacLure and Ed.  
Hyer of the Conservation Depart-  
ment taking part.

Hugh J. Gray, Secretary-Manager  
of the West Michigan Tourist and  
Resort Association, will be in on the  
discussion of "Fly by Night" adver-  
tising concerns with their mean-  
ingless signs. Just a few of the  
other topics: Local resort associa-  
tions; community care for present  
visitors before going after more;  
beautifying highways, stands, gas  
stations, et al; community cooperation  
on state funds, private rooming  
houses, over-night stops, hotels, and  
other subjects of prime concern to  
all.

Leave your long face at home, oil  
up your ribs and come prepared to  
laugh, chuckle, grin, smile, roar, re-  
joice, exult, snicker, guffaw, jollify  
and elate. Please do not giggle or  
titter.

Reports from the county boards of  
superiority are coming in and the  
action is favorable. Leapeer, Clare,  
Ogemaw, Alpena and Alcona have  
appropriated at this writing. Further  
appropriations are expected in the  
next few days.

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as often as they can spare you any pain  
or discomfort. Just be sure to buy the  
genuine. Examine the box. Beware of  
imitations.

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## LOG OFFICE SAYS

## BE THERE!

The day is Tuesday. The date is  
October 27. The place is Bay City.  
The event is the joint annual meet-  
ing of the East Michigan Tourist As-  
sociation and the North Eastern Mich-  
igan Development Bureau.

Laughs! Old friends! New ones!  
Tense remarks! Running around!  
Settling down! A chat with an old  
pal! A huddle! Business! Smiles!  
Sprinkle plentifully among 500 East  
Michiganers and you have the tenor  
of the big day.

Malcolm Bingray, editorial director  
of the Detroit Free Press, European  
traveler, columnist, feature writer,  
etc., etc., etc., will speak at the ban-  
quet in the evening.

Here is a gentleman who can make  
the hair on your head stand bolt up-  
right and then tickle your ribs by  
the simple process of pouring forth  
the English language.

His message will hit every man  
present.

The invitations have gone out.  
The replies are flooding in. A few  
of the earlier reservations: Leslie P.  
Kefauver, State commander of the  
American Legion; W. W. Crapo,  
Pointe Aux Barques; H. E. Fitch,  
Michigan Bell Telephone Company;  
Senator Chester M. Howell, Saginaw;  
William Wellman, City Manager of  
Mt. Pleasant; Albert W. Black, Bay  
City; Grover C. Dillman, State High-  
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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES  
OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, October 22, 1908

Tony Nelson brought a carrot to the office which weighed over three pounds.

Mrs. D. McKay has been enjoying a week's outing at the pleasant home of P. Ostrander in the south part of the county.

R. Hanson returned Tuesday from a business trip to Monroe, La., looking after the interests of the Grayling Lumber Co.

Miss Laura London of Maple Forest was a welcome guest of Miss Ruth Barlow at the editorial home, over Sunday.

Connie & Co. are making the Avalanche office look like a 30-cent store by painting their store front next door.

The large area which has been burned over has driven the deer into the green places left for food. They say they are unusually plentiful.

A good many of our hunters have been after partridge since the season opened, but few birds have been taken, on account of the heavy coating of leaves and the consequent noise in the woods.

Taxpayers of Crawford county will not feel aggrieved at the following statement: The state tax for the year 1908 will be \$2,869.14, and the primary school money received from the state will be \$9,022.10, leaving \$6,152.96 to the good.

Mrs. Charles Amidon and Ray went to Owosso Saturday for a visit. From there Ray will go to Big Rapids to enter the Ferris School.

Sheriff Amidon was in South Branch last week, and saw where an immense bear had been driven out of the woods near Conrad Wehner farm and followed the road for nearly a mile. We hear that the brute killed a couple of sheep for George Hartman.

E. Alger was driving in his carriage last Tuesday evening, when his horse ran away and threw him out, fracturing his arm and giving him a general bruising. On account of his advanced age and weakened condition it is considered dangerous.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Olive E. Goodrich, and Alfred C. Olson at the residence of the parents of the bride in Gaylord on

Thursday, October 15. The happy couple will receive the heartfelt congratulations of all our people who will welcome them. At home, after November 2, in this village.

Our High School played a return game with West Branch last Saturday and won quite easily by a score of 15-0, this score being made by two touchdowns, a place kick, and a goal from a touchdown.

Men Of Johannesburg Fight To Save Town

The Brown camp of the Frank Buell company at Wolverine and camp G of the Stephens Lumber company, west of Waters, were burned last night.

A large force of men is kept constantly on guard and the pumping machinery at the big plants are kept in readiness for instant use should fire creep through the lines.

At Quick, nine miles east of here, the fire is within a few rods of the settlement tonight and gradually approaching the homes.

About Vanderbilt the fires have somewhat subsided, but there is still much fire in the bush and constant guard is being kept. Today flying embers set brush afire in lots almost in the center of the village.

As far as can be learned the country to the east, which is mainly timber land, is being swept by a rapidly moving wall of fire. It is safe to say that there is almost uninterrupted fire from a little east of Gaylord to Alpena, a distance of seventy miles.

Lovells Locals  
(23 Years Ago)

T. E. Douglas & Co. are building their camp for the winter's lumbering near camp 6.

Joe Kraus of Grayling was the guest of Dr. Underhill Tuesday.

Charlie Lee is saving the shingles and he is cutting them at a rate of 40 thousand per day.

Joe Simms has the job of lumbering the NW 1/4 of Sec. 11.

The Douglas Co. commenced sawing lumber Saturday.

Messrs. Ward and Squires came in on the morning train Saturday and went to Devard on the afternoon train to shoot birds. T. E. Douglas returned with them.

Miss Lottie Owen and Charles Owen went to Grayling Friday.

### HAVE YOUR CAR ADJUSTED FOR WINTER DRIVING

With the coming of the wide temperature ranges experienced at this season of the year, the motorist will find it to his advantage to have the motor retuned and adjusted, according to M. D. Douglas, General Parts and Service Manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company.

"One of the distinct advantages of the modern automobile over its early predecessors is found in the fact that the motor today can be adjusted to give maximum performance in all seasons. A motorist who drives through the winter with a car adjusted to summer weather conditions deprives himself of much of the car's capacity for performance and need-

lessly increases its operating expense," Mr. Douglas said.

The carburetor should be checked and the valves should be adjusted to prevent loss of compression. The ignition system, especially the timing, should be cleaned thoroughly and checked for proper adjustment. The proper functioning of the ignition system is essential to easy starting on cold mornings.

Other suggestions made by Mr. Douglas include a thorough flushing out and cleaning of the cooling system; draining and flushing the crankcase and refilling with a good grade of oil. And, perhaps most important of all, the brakes should be adjusted, or if necessary, relined.

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### Compressed Air Runs an Automobile



Compressed air as motive power for the automobile is harnessed. In an amazing demonstration conducted at Los Angeles, a standard automobile chassis, powered with a newly developed compressed air motor, whizzed around the city streets at not a cent cost to the driver for fuel. The engine is the result of six years of research and work by Roy J. Meyers, who states one filling of the tank will run the car for 600 miles. Resembling in general appearance a radial airplane motor, the engine is mounted in an upright position in the same manner as a gasoline engine in standard motor cars. It requires no cooling system, no ignition system, no carburetor or the hundreds of moving parts included in a gasoline motor. The driver operates but one lever. That is the air throttle. Filled to 500 pounds air pressure, the engine throttle is opened and the car picks up speed quickly and smoothly, the only sound emitted being a slight hiss of the air from the exhaust valves. As the air goes through the engine, forcing pistons up and down, on the same principle as that employed by gasoline explosions, most of it is recaptured and recompressed by a compressor built as a part of the engine.

### FULL OF HARDSHIPS



The Lady—I suppose that your lot is full of hardships?  
The Hobo—Dat's de proper word for it, me'am. In de winter w'en de farmers ain't doin' nothin' it's too cold fer me 't do 'round 'round, an' in de summer people's allers offerin' me work.

### QUITE AMBITIOUS



First Hobo—Say, Pard, woulda' it be great of youse could git all de eatin' drink youse wanted by jist pressin' a 'lectric button?  
Second Hobo—It shore would et I had somebody ter press de button fer me.

### UNPARDONABLE ERROR



Boarder—I don't think the city water is at all good. It has a whitish appearance this morning and tastes something like milk.  
Landlady—That glass contains milk, sir, and I trust you will remember that your board was due yesterday.

### MUSICAL CLARA



"Clara seems to be very fond of music."  
"Yes, indeed. You'll always find her at the piano when her mother is washing the dishes."

### PUZZLING PITCHER



"Oh, isn't the man that throws the ball on your side just splendid?"  
"Think so?"  
"Yes, he sends it so they hit it every time."

### SMALL FLAT



"So you've been up to see the Browns. Is their new flat very small?"  
"Well, they've had to exchange all their statuettes for bar-reliefs."

### AUTOGIRO LANDS ON U. S. S. LANGLEY

The Navy's experimental autogiro made a successful landing on the flying deck of the U. S. S. Langley at Hampton Roads, Va., according to the Navy Recruiting Station, Detroit. This was the Navy's first experiment to determine the new craft's adaptability to naval use. It was purchased by the Navy for experimental purposes only.

### REPORT BIRDS KILLED IN HUNTING SEASON

In order to have as long and frequent open seasons on partridge, prairie chickens and pheasants as the supply will justify, it is essential that the Department of Conservation be informed as to local game conditions and the success of hunters in each part of the state.

This is the reason the Department is asking hunters to fill out "bird tally cards" which have been distributed through the field officers.

These cards, which may be obtained from any conservation officer and from many of the Department's license agents, ask hunters for information as to the county in which they hunted, the number of hours of hunting each day, the number of birds seen, and the birds bagged. The record of birds seen is considered by the department to be more important than the number of birds bagged, since it represents the hunter's opportunities.

Last year several hundred of these cards were returned to the Game Division of the Department at Lansing and much valuable information was given.

If one of the regular tally cards is not available, the Department would like to have each bird hunter send a letter giving information about his hunting.

### New Style Hairdressing



This is the way milady will look this fall when she dons the cocky little Empress Eugenie hat, and has adjusted the demure feminine pin waves at either side. These waves will come in any color to suit the gown and mood of the moment.

### RANKS PARIS THIRD AS FASHION CENTER



ONA MUNSON is one movie star who does not feel she has to run to Paris twice a year in order to be well dressed. In fact she has joined the Buy 'n' Home movement and really prefers American fashions. It has been said before that New York is ahead of Paris in styles. Miss Munson agrees with this and says too that Hollywood, also outshines Paris. "The average woman in a Paris gown is not so well dressed as she is well costumed," Miss Munson says. Hollywood as a style center is to be spotlighted in an early episode of the Radio Newsreel of Hollywood, a weekly broadcast presenting the "behind-the-scenes" story of movie life. Miss Munson is to be featured in the broadcast.



### CHILDREN CRY FOR IT—

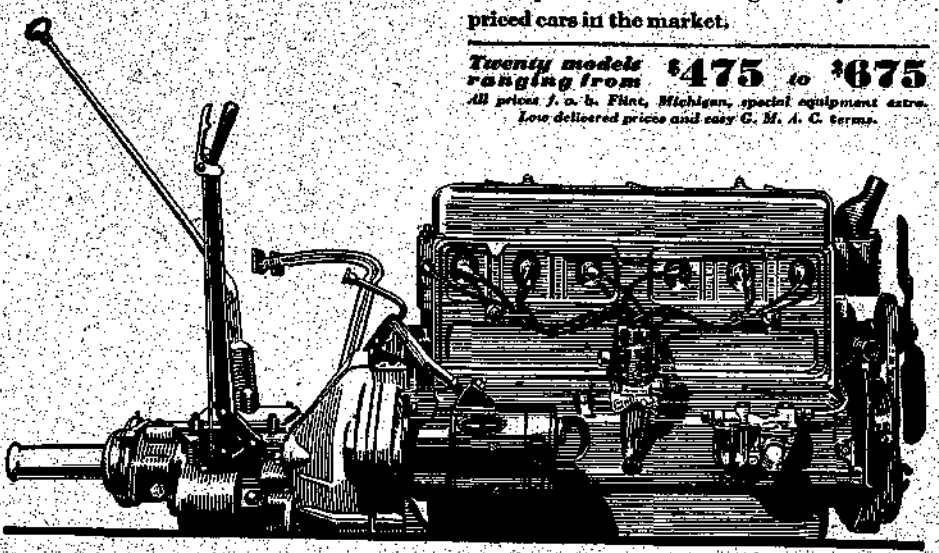
CHILDREN hate to take medicine as a rule, but every child loves the taste of Castoria. This pure vegetable preparation is just as good as it tastes; just as bland and just as harmless as the recipe reads.

When Baby's cry warns of colic, a few drops of Castoria have him soothed, asleep again in a jiffy. Nothing is more valuable in diarrhea. When coated tongue or bad breath tell of constipation, invoke its gentle aid to cleanse and regulate a child's bowels. In colds or children's diseases, you should use it to keep the system from clogging.

Castoria is sold in every drug store; the genuine always bears Chas. H. Fletcher's signature.

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The whole question was settled long ago—as to how many cylinders it takes in a motor car engine to give satisfactory smoothness. Science definitely established the fact that at least six are necessary. And today, the public accepts the multi-cylinder engine in the same way that it accepts 4-wheel brakes, parallel-mounted springs and every other principle of proved and acknowledged superiority. Everybody knows that nothing less than a six can give you built-in smoothness.

Today, six-cylinder smoothness is within reach of every new car buyer. For Chevrolet has produced a quality car, powered it with a firmly-mounted six-cylinder motor—engineered it to run with unsurpassed economy—and priced it down among the very lowest-priced cars in the market.

Twenty models ranging from \$475 to \$675  
All prices f. o. b. Flint, Michigan, special equipment extra.  
Low delivered prices and easy C. M. A. C. terms.

Who remembers the good old days when the newspapers would announce occasionally that another half billion had been paid on the national debt?

With all these European nations going off the gold standard isn't it too bad that William J. Bryan isn't here to have the satisfaction of saying, "I told you so."



A baby is always the most enthusiastic in saying "good-by" to you; hardly ever has it a word of welcome.

Well, if the whole country goes to the poor house this winter, the keepers will have to arrange for a lot of new parking space.

It is said that a move will be made in Congress to increase the postage on letters to three cents. We are in favor of adopting ten cent postage for first of the month bills.

## Consider the Cow!

IF YOUR AD was in this space as many people would read it as are reading this. But your ad isn't here, and people don't know or care a rap whether you are selling groceries, gasoline, peanuts or popcorn.

Did you ever sit down in the pasture with a milk pail between your knees and wait for a cow to back up and be milked?

Of course not, you have better sense.

Well, business is kinder like a cow. You've got to go out after it and round it up. The fellow with the milk pail betwixt his knees MAY get some milk, but the odds are all in favor of the fellow who drives up the cow and feeds her.

A merchant may make a living by cussin' the guv'nment and waiting for something to happen, but the merchant who makes MONEY is the fellow who goes after business in the right way—he stocks his shelves with seasonable merchandise and then he lets his customers know about it—he ADVERTISES.

There are many forms of advertising, but the one "time tried" safe, sure and economical way is through the columns of your local newspaper. People are drawn into your store by the quality, price and service you offer—If you don't tell them about it how in heck do you ever expect to see any new faces on the other side of the counter?

## Consistent Pounding Gets Results



## AN ULTIMATE CONSUMER



This baby in a drought-stricken section of West Virginia was one of the ultimate consumers of the foodstuffs given by the American Red Cross in the past year. More than 2,700,000 persons were fed by the organization.

## NAVY DAY, OCTOBER 27TH

The annual observance of Navy Day, now in its tenth year, will be held on Tuesday, October 27th. In addition to paying a deserved tribute to the sea heroes of the nation and recalling the splendid part the Navy has played in making and keeping us a nation, the Navy Day observance has played a valuable means of fostering a better understanding of the Navy and its work. Such information, in a country where government is by public opinion, is essential to the formation of correct judgments affecting naval policy, and in this work of information the Navy Day observance has played an important part.

October 27th was selected as Navy Day because it is the anniversary of the birth of President Theodore Roosevelt, so much of whose life was devoted to establishing a sound naval policy for the United States of America. As Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and finally as President, Roosevelt bent his tremendous energies to impress upon the American people the necessity for an adequate

Navy, and endeavored through his leadership to realize this ideal.

October 27, is also the anniversary of the birth of the Navy, having been created on that date in 1775 by the Continental Congress.

Read your home paper. Subscribe for the Avalanche.

## POTPOURRI

**Measuring Light**  
The measurement of light intensities is one of the fascinating, as well as exacting, studies of astronomers. Various units such as the British system candle are used to determine the brightness of illumination. The sperm candle burns 120 grains of material an hour. Daylight is estimated at 150 candles per square yard, or the amount of light that 150 candles would reflect on a square yard of surface one foot away.  
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## HAPPY MEMORIES

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK  
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.



They were used to toil, and they had no ambition for their daughter, to know or to be more than they themselves knew or were.

And so Sarah, when she was old enough, went out to service, and being awkward and unskillful, drifted finally into the work of a scrub woman.

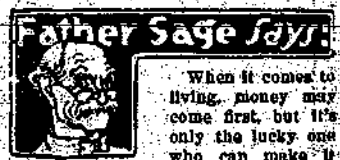
But the unexpected does sometimes happen. When Sarah was fifty, perhaps, a relative across the ocean left her a modest legacy which, if properly invested, would have made a living more comfortable for her, and might have provided a little competence for her old age, when scrubbing would not be so easy nor so possible as it now was.

"It's good luck for Sarah," her thrifty friends were heard to say. "She can put this money by for a rainy day."

But Sarah thought otherwise. During all her fifty years she had had no cessation of toil.

"I'm getting old," Sarah said. "I'd like a few happy memories before I die."

And so, foolishly maybe and maybe not, it is not for us to say, Sarah quit her job. She got herself ready, and she went off for a holiday as long as her money lasted to the country from which her father and mother had come. For a time she was a lady, so far as her limited knowledge gave her to understand what that meant, and when her money had been spent she came back again to the old life of toil. If she ever regretted her foolish action, as it was termed by her practical friends, she never said so. She had the memories for which all her life she had longed, and she was content.  
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## ACID STOMACH



**EXCESS acid** is the common cause of indigestion. It results in pain and sourness about two hours after eating. The quick corrective is an alkali which will neutralize acid. The best corrective is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. It has remained standard with physicians in the 50 years since its invention.

One spoonful of Phillips' Milk of Magnesia neutralizes instantly many times its volume in acid. It is harmless and tasteless and its action is quick. You will never rely on crude methods once you learn how quickly this method acts. Please let it show you now.

Be sure to get the genuine. "Milk of Magnesia" has been the U. S. Registered Trade Mark of The Charles H. Phillips Chemical Company and its predecessor, Charles H. Phillips since 1875.

## HUGE TASK IN DROUGHT- AID MET BY RED CROSS

Relief Given to Distressed Help in Meeting Serious Situation, Chairman Payne Says.

The year of the great drought, as these past twelve or more months will be known to future generations, wrought great damage to millions. Not alone did the crops, which were harvested in the fields in twenty-three states, in the summer of 1930, deprive several million persons of food, but the drought disaster continued in the summer of 1931 in the northwestern states, and also brought other minor catastrophes in its wake, such as forest fires, and the grasshopper plague. More than a year has elapsed since the American Red Cross launched, in August, 1930, its first moves for relief of the drought-stricken farmers, and in that time more than 7,750,000 persons were given food, clothing, medical aid, shelter, or other type of assistance. At no period during this year were there fewer than 70,000 persons being aided and at the peak of the relief work on March 1, last, more than 2,000,000 persons were being helped.

Today, still as a result of the drought, the Red Cross is giving extended relief in parts of North Dakota, Washington and Montana, where resources of hundreds of families were wiped out this past summer, when a second and more severe spell of dry weather was prolonged in that region.

This drought relief presented the greatest task that has ever been undertaken by the Red Cross as a peace-time activity. The Mississippi Valley flood of 1927, while more spectacular, and calling for relief of a costlier type, became homes and possessions were swept away, affected hardly one-fourth the number of people who suffered because of the drought.

In addition to the broad program of drought relief still being carried on, John Barton Payne, chairman of the American Red Cross, has given the following suggestion to Chapter chairmen, in regard to unemployment relief: "Where there is suffering and want from any cause and the fundamental needs are not being met, chapters may participate in the community plans for meeting the need."

Some types of general family relief, whether for the drought victims, the unemployed or the war veterans, and all families, were carried on by more than 8,000 Red Cross chapters last year, Judge Payne said.

"The drought relief work of 1930-31," he added, "the relief now being extended following last summer's drought, principally in Montana and North Dakota; the assistance which is being given to ex-service men and their families; and the part which several hundred chapters are taking locally in their communities' relief measures are activities of the Red Cross, national and local, which have met and are meeting some of the serious needs of the present situation."

## RED CROSS RELIEF IN 79 DISASTERS IN YEAR

Forest Fires, Plagues, Storms, Earthquakes, as Well as Drought, Call for Help.

The forest fires which have raged in Idaho and other western sections this year have presented a serious disaster—one of a number, in addition to the enormous drought relief problems, which have been met by the American Red Cross relief forces.

Suffering, faith and courage are contained in a story coming from the Priest River section in Idaho, told by a volunteer Red Cross worker as follows:

"Picture a happy little homestead near the banks of Priest river in northern Idaho. While father, with a little son tagging at his heels, is out tending crops and adding to the clearing, mother is at home making preparations for another arrival. Then comes the fire demon, sweeping all in its path. While father fights to protect his little home, the stock announces its arrival.

"Mother and baby are bundled in a quilt, and loaded on a truck for the race through the flaming forest. Father drives the truck and the little boy sits at his mother's side, brushing away the sparks which fall like rain upon the improvised litter."

To the Red Cross worker, the mother expressed her anxiety to return to the hills to rehabilitate the little homestead. All they possessed was lost in the forest fire. The Red Cross aided all of the families and is working to help them rebuild their homes.

Altogether seventy-nine disasters called for Red Cross help and money during the year just closed. Aside from the drought, which required services of volunteer workers numbering more than 46,000, and a drought relief fund of more than \$15,000,000 of which \$5,000,000 came from the national Red Cross treasury, help was given in 22 fires, 13 tornadoes, eight storms and eight floods, six forest fires, four earthquakes and four mine explosions, three typhoons and three epidemics, two cloudbursts, and one each hurricane, mine cave-in and railroad accident.

Aside from a major catastrophe, such as the drought, when the whole public was asked to contribute funds for relief, Red Cross relief in these disasters was met from the organization's funds and from special local contributions. Part of each membership, subscribed to Red Cross chapters at the roll call period from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day, goes toward this important work.

One thing about the British elections is that when they decide to hold one over there they don't waste much time on primaries.

## VILLAGE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Meeting held on the 8th day of October A. D. 1931, Grayling, Mich. Meeting called to order by President C. O. McCullough.

Trustees present: A. L. Roberts, Thomas Cassidy, M. O. Corwin, Emil Giegling, Peter F. Jorgenson, and A. J. Joseph.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Report of the Finance Committee: To the President and members of the common council of the village of Grayling:

Your Committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts, respectfully recommends that the accompanying bills be allowed as follows:

1 Michigan Public Service Co., pump house power	\$221.80
2 Michigan Public Service Co., pump house lights	1.00
3 Michigan Public Service Co., hose house	2.95
4 Michigan Public Service Co., fire alarm	3.00
5 Michigan Public Service Co., band stand	1.00
6 Michigan Public Service Co., tourist park	13.20
7 Michigan Public Service Co., traffic light	11.35
8 Michigan Public Service Co., Blvd. lights	119.04
9 Michigan Public Service Co., street lights	168.00
10 Tri-County Telephone Co., Inv. 10-1	16.00
11 Standard Oil Company, Inv. 9-8	1.35
12 Grayling Box Co., Inv. 9-18	1.80
Grayling Box Co., Inv. 9-10	2.25
13 C. W. Olsen, Inv. 9-1	4.50
14 O. P. Schumann, Inv. 9-1	3.00
15 Globe Ribbon & Carton Co., Inv. 9-4	6.00
16 Grayling Hardware, Inv. 10-2	6.25
17 F. R. Deckrow, Inv. 9-10	1.68
18 Hanson Hardware, Inv. 10-1	7.94
19 Village Treasurer, by drafts	10.13
20 Burke Garage, Inv. 10-1	187.50
21 A. J. Nelson, fire report 9-25	47.03
22 Len Isenbauer, payroll ending 9-11	16.50
Len Isenbauer, payroll ending 9-18	20.00
Len Isenbauer, payroll ending 9-25	29.15
Len Isenbauer, payroll ending 10-2	29.15
23 Mrs. Kristine Salling	27.50
	\$1,510.00

O. K. with the exception of No. 20, George Burke, to be applied on water account.

Moved by A. J. Joseph and supported by A. L. Roberts that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on the Treasurer for the same. Yes and may vote called. Yeas: Roberts, Cassidy, Corwin, Giegling, Jorgenson and Joseph. Motion carried.

Moved by Corwin and supported by Giegling that a 30-day extension from October 15, 1931, be given the Village Treasurer for collection of 1931 taxes. Yes and may vote called. All present voting yes. Motion carried.

Moved by Joseph and supported by Cassidy that Dr. Gordon B. Moffat be appointed to fill vacancy caused by transfer of Dr. Howard as Health Officer of Village of Grayling. Yes and may vote called. All present voting yes. Motion carried.

Moved by Giegling and supported by Cassidy that the committee of Health and Public Safety advertise for bids on excavation at dump 80 ft. by 100 ft. at least 6 ft. deep, with full power to act. Yes and may vote called. All present voting yes. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that we adjourn. Motion carried.  
Lorane Sparkes, Clerk.  
C. O. McCullough, President.

## Aid for War Veterans

More than 430,000 ex-service men and their families were aided through 3,000 Red Cross chapters and the national organization during the year ending June 30, 1931. Dependent families were cared for; veterans' claims were filed, hospitalization obtained and many other services given. Part of each contribution during the American Red Cross annual roll call, Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day, goes toward supporting this vital work for veterans of the World War and other wars in which the United States has engaged.

## Books for the Blind

Through American Red Cross chapters, 3,327 volumes of novels, class books and others, transcribed into braille for blind readers, have been added to libraries in the past year. These books are to be obtained through the Library of Congress and city libraries. This activity, carried on by a great number of devoted women volunteers in Red Cross chapters, had its inception in preparing books for war blinded.



## 3 RULES big help to BOWELS

What a joy to have the bowels move like clockwork, every day! It's easy, if you mind these simple rules of a famous old doctor.

1. Drink a big tumblerful of water before breakfast, and several times a day.
2. Get plenty of outdoor exercise without unduly fatiguing yourself.
3. Try for a bowel movement at exactly the same hour every day.

Everyone's bowels need help at times, but the thing to use is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. You'll get a thorough cleansing-out, and it won't leave your insides weak and watery. This family doctor's prescription is just fresh laxative herbs, pure pepsin, and other helpful ingredients that couldn't hurt a child. But how it wakes up those lazy bowels! How good you feel when you're rid of all that poisonous waste matter.

Dr. W. B. Caldwell's  
**SYRUP PEPSIN**  
A Doctor's Family Laxative

## DID YOU KNOW

That the present official seal of the United States was adopted by Congress on June 20, 1780?

That the salary of the first Commander-in-Chief of the Navy was \$125 per month, or \$1500 per year?

That the Navy Department was established in 1793? Prior to that time the Navy had been under the War Department.

That the above information is furnished by the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, 645 Randolph Street, Detroit, Michigan?

It will be noted that all plans of our international bankers for ending the depression are based on Uncle Sam's giving up something to Europe. Well, we have been pouring money into Europe for the past dozen years and it doesn't seem to have done much good up to date.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday, the 19th day of December, A. D. 1931, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with 7 per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with attorney's fee, to wit: The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty-two, town twenty-five north, range three west, Beaver Creek township, Crawford county, Michigan.

Dated, September 23, 1931.  
Earl F. Case, administrator with the will attached of the estate of William Corning.

Merle F. Nellist,  
Attorney for the administrator of said estate. 9-24-31

**NOTICE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**  
Please to Take Notice that on Monday, the 19th day of October, 1931, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Judge of Probate at the Court House in the Village of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, I will make application to the Honorable Judge of Probate in and for said County, to change my name from David L. Kneth to David L. Kneff.

Signed, David L. Kneff.  
Grayling, Michigan, September 21st, 1931. 9-24-4

**SHERIFF'S EXECUTION SALE OF REAL ESTATE**  
Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, State of Michigan, dated the 18th day of October A. D. 1931, to me directed and delivered in favor of Frank Sales against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Clyde Hum, I did, on the 19th day of October A. D. 1931, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of said Clyde Hum in and to the following described real estate, situated in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to wit:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated in the Village of Grayling, County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, known and described as:

An undivided one-half of Lots 7 and 8 Block 12 Hadley's Addition to the Village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan.

An undivided one-half of Lots 7 and 8 Block 2 Barnes Addition, except the W 1/2 of W 1/2 to the Village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, all of which I shall expose for sale at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, at the law doors, at the front door of the Court House in the Village of Grayling (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for said County of Crawford, State of Michigan, is held), on Saturday, the 5th day of December A. D. 1931, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

J. E. Bohmeyer,  
Sheriff of Crawford County, Michigan.

Elmer G. Smith,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.  
Dated October 19th, A. D. 1931. 10-22-6

**MORTGAGE SALE**  
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Harlan P. Smith to William Corning, dated the 1st day of June A. D. 1887, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 9th day of July, A. D. 1887, in Liber D of mortgages, on page 51 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of eight hundred twenty dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the money secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the 5th day of December, A. D. 1931, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with 7 per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with attorney's fee, to wit: The southwest quarter of section eighteen, town twenty-five north, range three west, Beaver Creek township, Crawford county, Michigan.

Dated September 8th, 1931.  
Earl F. Case, administrator with the will attached of the estate of William Corning.

Merle F. Nellist,  
Attorney for the administrator of said estate. 9-10-31

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Prosecuting Attorney Crawford County  
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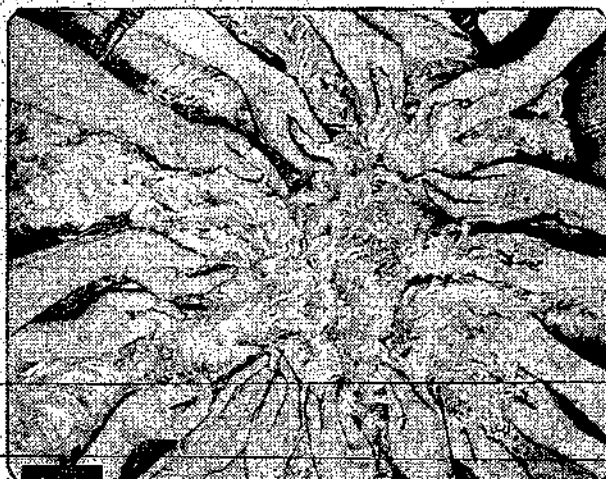
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## News Briefs

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1931

Thomas Cassidy went to Bay City on business Friday, returning Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Siedel of Detroit spent the week end visiting Mrs. Ruth Mack.

Amos Hoesli went to Flint Thursday on business. He returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood entertained a number of Bay City friends Sunday at their home.

Mrs. Bernard Brennan of East Jordan is visiting relatives and friends in Grayling.

Miss Dorothy Hoesli is visiting at the George Mallinger home in Higgins Lake for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Throop and family of Detroit spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Stephan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Burrows and family drove to Cheboygan Sunday and visited the former's brother R. J. Burrows and family.

A message from Springfield, Mo., announces the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. James Eden on October 17th. Mrs. Eden was formerly Miss Margaret Weiss.

Tuesday afternoon marked the first meeting for the season of St. Mary's Altar society, and was held at the home of Mrs. Wilfred Laurant with a large attendance. Plans for winter activities were discussed.

Women's solid leather high tops for \$4.75 at Olson's. Adv.

Free Canvas gloves. One pair free with each purchase of 2 pairs, at Olson's Shoe Store. Adv.

George H. Burrows returned to his home in Flint Saturday after being here for several weeks, during which time he assisted in the meat market of his brother, A. S. Burrows.

Mrs. Paul LaBrash and daughter Alice returned from a visit in Flint the latter part of the week and were accompanied home by Henry LaBrash who has returned to Flint again.

Mrs. Malcolm McLeod returned Sunday from Lansing and Ann Arbor having been called to Ann Arbor by the serious illness of her niece, who will be remembered as Miss Marie Pillsbury.

Supt. and Mrs. R. R. Burns and Mr. and Mrs. LaVere Cushman entertained the faculty at a chop suey dinner at the Burns home Thursday evening. Following dinner the evening was spent playing bridge, and it proved to be a very pleasant affair.

Sister M. Ligouri, Sister M. Felicitas, Miss Irene McKay of Mercy Hospital, Mrs. Rose Ahman, Miss Viva Hoesli, Miss Emma Hendrickson attended a district nurses convention held in Bay City Tuesday. A banquet followed by a business meeting and program was held at the nurses home of St. Mary's Hospital, and in all it proved a most enjoyable and profitable meeting.

Herbert and Robert Ward returned to their home in Detroit Sunday after spending the week here at the Peter Larson home. The former had been called here following the auto accident in which his wife was injured. However Mrs. Ward was dismissed from Mercy Hospital Saturday and is getting along nicely.

Halloween goods at half price at Sorenson Bros. Furniture Store. Adv.

Jerrine and Natalie Peterson spent the week end at the farm home of Frances Corwin.

Boy's high tops that are real water-proof shoes and solid leather, \$3.85 to \$4.50, at Olson's. Adv.

Miss Viva Hoesli is spending a few weeks visiting at the Dava Kniff home on the AuSable.

Miss Elaine Reagan and Miss Nadine McNeven left Wednesday to spend the week end in Mackinaw.

Select novelties for the kiddies' Halloween celebration from our stock at greatly reduced prices. Sorenson Bros. Adv.

High School is closed for the remainder of the week owing to the Teachers' Institute being held in Saginaw.

Mrs. L. J. Douglas returned to her home in Saginaw Tuesday after visiting her mother Mrs. Ellen Failing for a week.

Try Gothro's Resident barber shop. Prices reduced, haircuts 35c; shaves 20c. Located corner of Ogema and Chestnut streets. Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Thompson of St. Helen and Wayne Thompson of Pontiac spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thompson.

A new gold rush has started in the Yukon region and we are waiting for some economist to tell us that is the final phase of the depression.

George's pressing, cleaning and shoe shining business has been moved to the Maylor building, located back of Burrows Meat market.

Dance at the Hay Loft Saturday nights, regardless of the weather. A newly installed heater keeps the place comfortable and cozy. You're invited.

Herb Gothro, who has been employed at the McCullough & Matson tonorial parlor for a number of years has opened a shop in his home.

Walter Nadeau and family of Saginaw spent a couple of days here the last of the week, guests of Fr. Culligan. The gentlemen enjoyed hunting birds together.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Johnson and daughter Mrs. Walter Bosworth of Bay City returned Friday from a pleasant trip to Manistee where they visited relatives and friends. Mrs. Bosworth returned to Bay City Sunday.

Miss Grace Nelson returned from Los Angeles, Calif., Wednesday morning, after spending several months there. She was very much pleased with the west and would like to return there again. She is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mathilda Nelson.

Miss Carrie Jorgenson and sister, Mrs. John Williams, had as their guests for a few days last week the latter's son, Richard Nels Williams, and his bride, formerly Miss Lois Catherine Geissel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Geissel of St. Louis, Mo.

Carl Mickelson and Jess Baker of Mason spent several days bird hunting at the Sun Rise Club, returning home Friday. James Hartwick, of Detroit arrived Monday and expects to spend the week there. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fehr and Mrs. Gale Clise are in charge at the club.

Henry A. Bauman and John Bruun attended a meeting at Higgins Lake in connection with a tree planting program sponsored by the Detroit News. Gov. Brecker was unable to attend but he was well represented by William A. Richards, Assistant Attorney General, also Commissioner Titus of Traverse City was present. Scripps of the Detroit News flew up in his autogiro. Albert E. Stoll of Detroit was in charge of the meeting. There were about 90 present at the dinner.

Rev. Fr. Aloysius Webber, pastor of Sacred Heart church Saginaw, and a former pastor of St. Mary's church, Grayling, has been granted a retirement from active work, after nearly half a century of service in the Catholic priesthood. Failing health in recent months caused him to petition for retirement. During 13 years of priesthood while stationed at West Branch, Grayling was one of his missions. He was greatly loved by his parishioners here at that time and there are still some of the older families left who remember him. He expects to make his home in Bay City.

"Dad" Hanson, Tony Nelson, Lyle Milks, Clyde Peterson and "Spoke" McNeven made up a hunting party, who went to Sharon last Sunday to hunt birds. It's said all "Dad" could shoot was chipmunks and he bagged a couple. The rest all proved themselves good hunters, but when it came to cooking their noonday meal they were planning on "Dad," but he was spared the trouble, as Mrs. Peterson assisted by Mrs. Alfred Hanson and Miss Ingeborg Hanson had a delicious Danish dinner all prepared for the hunters when they returned, which was enjoyed very much.

Elmer Neal was accidentally shot in the leg last Thursday forenoon by Lewis Engel while hunting birds in the vicinity of the South Branch of the AuSable. The accident happened when Engel made an attempt to shoot a partridge in some thick brush and missed it, the discharge striking the leg of Neal some distance away. However it was not shot from a 16-gauge shot gun and it caused the fleshy part of the leg below the knee. The physicians, consisting of Dr. Engel, James Post, Ted Stephens and James Miller carried him there where the car was parked and then brought him to Mercy Hospital, where the wound was dressed. Elmer was discharged Saturday and is getting along nicely at his home.

Larry Anderson of Bay City visited Miss Ellen Gothro Saturday.

Women's one strap house slippers for \$2.00 at Olson's. Adv.

George Burke and William LaGrow drove to Lansing Thursday on business, returning Friday.

The band will play a concert at Mercy Hospital Friday night, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Frank Brady and son Don of Saginaw were guests of John Brady and family over the week end.

Miss Mable Brasie is in Petoskey attending the Red Oak convention, as a delegate from the local lodge.

Mr. Dan Woods and daughter Margaret of Wolverine spent the week end at the Bent Debrahn home.

Bob Osborne of Chicago is spending the week the guest of Lewis Engel at Wa-Wa-Sum on the AuSable.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Metz have returned to Flint after visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul LaBrash.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gierke of Detroit have moved into the Mrs. Catherine Kuster house on Michigan avenue.

Mrs. Guy Reid of Twinning is spending the week here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds Sr.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bugby are enjoying a visit from the latter's brother, Alfred Markwart of Saginaw for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVere Cushman enjoyed a visit from the former's sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Graham of Lapeer last week.

Try Gothro's Resident barber shop. Prices reduced, haircuts 35c; shaves 20c. Located corner of Ogema and Chestnut streets. Adv.

Marius K. Hanson is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties at the Mac & Gidley drug store. He expects to spend the time hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson spent several days in Johannesburg at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Larson the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Reagan and daughter Emogene drove up from Flint last week and visited Thomas' mother, Mrs. Frank L. Beckman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller enjoyed a visit from the latter's mother Mrs. Charles Mills and Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Fisher of Port Huron for several days.

Gerald Poor attended a football game at Cadillac Saturday, played between Traverse City and Cadillac High Schools. The game ended in a tie 7-7.

Chris Johnson and Clarence Robertson have been attending the Oddfellow convention at Petoskey this week. They are delegates from the local order.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Wismer and Frank C. Regan of Buffalo, N. Y., were here for a week end visit with their mother, Mrs. Frank L. Beckman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Herrick and son Gerald are spending the remainder of the week visiting their son Howard Herrick and family in Flint. They left Wednesday.

Joseph Cassidy drove to Morley Friday and was accompanied home Sunday by Miss Margaret Edgar who is spending the week here, a guest at the Cassidy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jarmin motored to Bay City Saturday and were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. D. Jarmin, parents of the former, who expect to remain here indefinitely.

Miss Dorothy Roberts invited a few of her friends to her home Thursday night to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in dancing and playing games.

Thursday evening, Oct. 29th, the Ladies Auxiliary of the Golf club will give a Halloween bridge party at the Board of Trade rooms at 8 o'clock. Fifty cents per person will be charged. Everyone invited.

The early trappers in the Rocky Mountain country said that the grizzly bear was the most ferocious animal they had to contend with. But the grizzly didn't have anything on the modern Wall Street bear.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin and son Edward and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Peterson spent the week end at Bannister, guests of Mr. Martin's cousin Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crippen. The guests enjoyed hunting while there.

Work at the Winter Sports area located just off the road leading to Lake Margretha is progressing in fine shape. This week the Court, tractor and grader have been put to use clearing the space for the ice skating rink and the hill that is to be used for the toboggan slide. There was a much larger bus last Sunday with 21 volunteers. Today and tomorrow a gang of high school pupils are using some of their muscle and helping in the work. All of the work so far by men and boys has been done voluntarily, but there are many who could help that have not yet done their bit. There is still plenty of work to do to get everything in shape for the Annual Winter Sports program, which the committee hope to make bigger and better this year, so take your axe or shovel and go out and lumber up your joints. It will do you good.

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John J. Neiderer who is living with his son Hans Neiderer at Gaylord is confined to his bed with another paralytic stroke. His old Grayling friends will be sorry to learn of his illness.

Friends of Mrs. Irma Gothro formerly of Grayling, will be pleased to know she is teaching again at Grandville, Michigan, after spending the summer with her mother in Tacoma, Washington.

Mrs. George McCullough, Mrs. Eva Reagan, Mrs. C. J. Clippert and Mrs. F. A. Barnett motored to Mackinaw City Saturday and attended a bridge luncheon given by Mrs. Paul Hendrie at the Hotel Howson.

Miss Kathryn Brown has resumed her duties at the Central Drug Store after spending two weeks touring the upper peninsula as the guest of Mrs. P. Wurzburg and son Dan of Northport. The party returned Sunday.

To meet Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Salmon and family the Ladies Aid of Michigan Memorial church have arranged a pot luck dinner to be given at the church Tuesday evening, Oct. 27 at six-thirty o'clock. The invitation is extended to everyone. Bring a few sandwiches and a dish to pass. Following the pot-luck a reception will be held in the church parlors.

Children's solid leather shoes, sizes 8 to 2 for \$1.45, at Olson's. Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Murray and Miss Virginia Murray of Detroit are spending several days at their lodge on the AuSable.

Mr. O. W. Lyngdip of Detroit who is auditing the books at the Bank of Grayling went to Ironston to visit relatives over the week end.

Mrs. R. D. Conning returned home from Traverse City Friday, where she had been visiting relatives for the past month. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Joyn of Traverse City.

Miss Mildred Hanson entertained several of her former class mates at a week end party at the Hanson cottage at Lake Margretha. Miss Evelyn Johnson of Bay City was the guest of honor.

Mrs. Charles Fyvie, of Newberry, mother of Miss Margaret Fyvie, recently sent this office a sample of apples raised at their home. They were one branch upon which were six large apples, one of which weighed 14 ounces. The others were somewhat smaller, but all fine fruit. Michigan apples, grown from properly pruned and sprayed trees cannot be surpassed in quality. We are certain pleased to learn that such fine fruit is being grown in Upper Michigan, as well as in other parts of the state.

Women's arch support slippers for \$2.95 at Olson's. Adv.

Byron Randolph has returned from Gaylord where he has been employed by the State Highway Department for the past few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Borchers had as their guests for several days Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Barrus of Hillsdale, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stinson of Litchfield and Mr. and Mrs. George Robson of Ovid. The party enjoyed a hunting trip down the river.

McGuire Dupree disposed of what remained of his household furniture and his property on the south side following the death of his wife, and left Monday for Bay City to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Guy Miller. Little Louise Dupree, who had made her home with her grandparents will also make her home with the Miller family. Rasmus Rasmusson bought the house and lot.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tetu and three youngest children are leaving Sunday for Pasadena, Calif., they accompanying Mrs. Tetu's brother George Smith of West Branch. Mrs. Tetu and children will remain for the winter visiting her sister-in-law Mrs. Alfred Underhill and Mrs. William Aberle, the others returning in a couple of weeks. Bobby Tetu will attend school in West Branch for the winter and make his home with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

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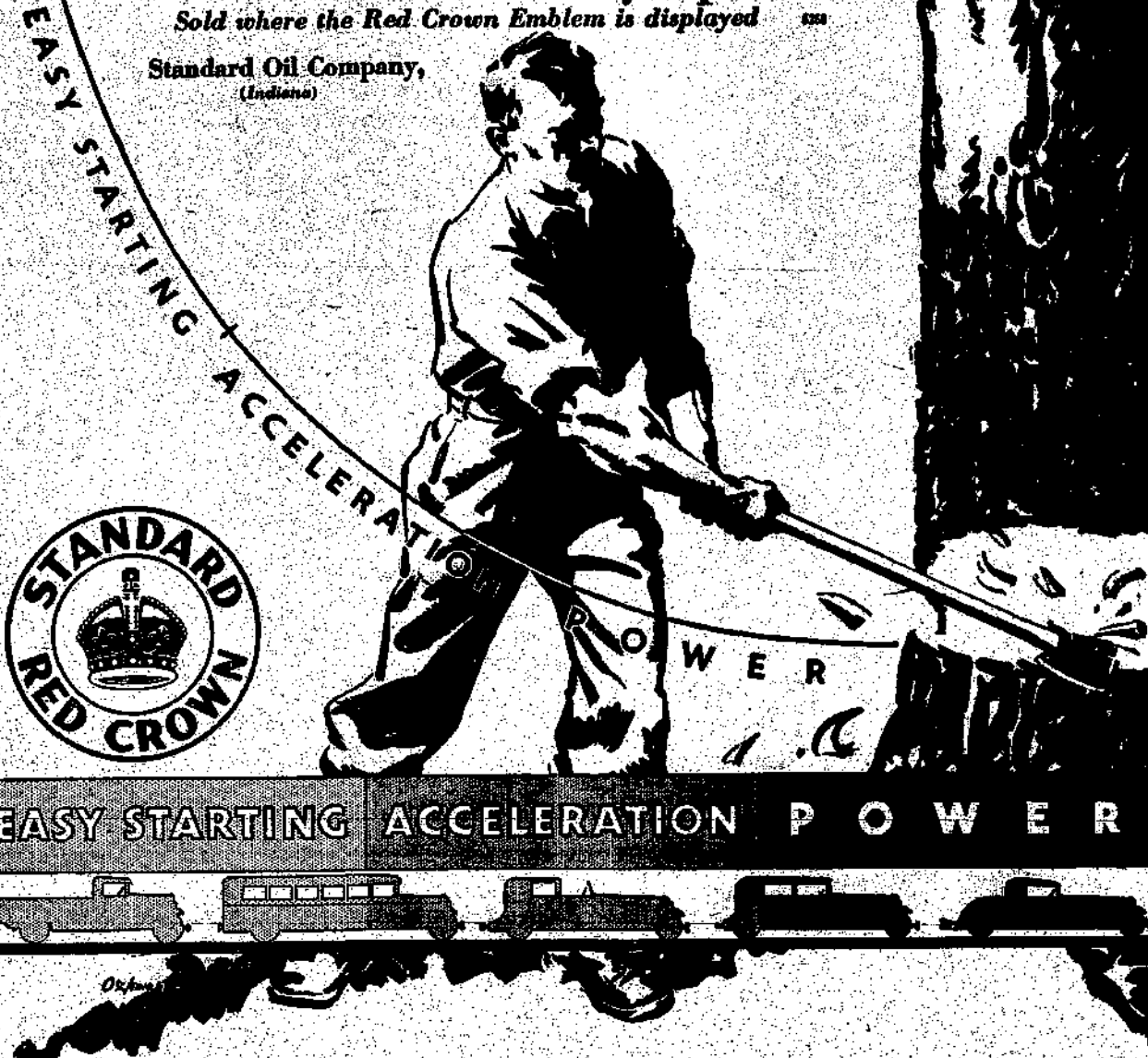
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## AM. LEGION NOTES

BY A. H. GANSSER

The second week in October, 1916, brought a rude awakening to America and the neutral world, as to actual World war status. Ever since the huge Russian armies began their victory drive on June 1, 1916, through Volhynia and Bukovina, against the hard pressed Austrians, Paris, London, Rome and Petrograd had been reporting allied victories. The crown prince had been stopped before Verdun during early spring. The Austrians had to stop their attack in the Trentino and Trieste areas against Italy, when the new Russian menace came from the east. The British attack on the Somme river front was making steady progress despite grievous losses, ever since July 1, 1916. Russian armies were hitting Turkey hard through the Caucasus and

Armenia, while another British army was advancing toward Jerusalem. Then on Aug. 27, in the midst of all these allied war gains, Roumania entered the war against Austria with 550,000 fresh troops. A huge allied army was expected to aid Roumania by attacking Bulgaria in the region of Monastir in Macedonia, coming from Salonika in Greece. According to allied war news sources, Austria was ruined and Germany on the brink of utter defeat. But now, in the second week of October came rumors through Holland, Sweden and Switzerland, that the Russians had been stopped by German armies in Galicia, and that other German armies were actually defeating the Roumanian armies both along the Danube river and in the passes of the Transylvanian Alps. Worse still, there came ominous rumblings of revolution and war weariness from Russia. Clearly things were not going so good for the allies on four war fronts.

### Russia's Last World War Fight

Today we know from official source records and the war stories of all the combatant nations, that the allied victory drive for 1916 had failed utterly, and that two years more of war murder and waste would intervene before that final armistice day. In that second week in October, 1916, the British were making their last major effort at the Somme river front in western France. The French attack at Verdun won local gains that electrified America and the neutral world. But despite the removal of German shock troops from France to save hard hit Austria, their trench line was unbroken from the North Sea to the border of Switzerland. The Italian offensive was stopped in the mountain passes from the Tyrol to Trieste front. Gen. Sarraill with the British, French, Italian and Serbian armies from Salonika in Greece was being delayed by a Bulgarian army in the Monastir mountain regions. Turkey was fighting desperately against the Russians in Armenia, and the British in Syria. The Roumanians had dickered so long with Russia for Bessarabia, that Germany had ample time to prepare to meet this new danger from the Balkans. So when Roumania fired her first shots on the Hungarian border on Aug. 27, 1916, German armies were already gathering to win the granaries and oil fields of this new enemy. On Sept. 7, Gen. Mackensen with German and Bulgarian troops defeated the Danube river army of Roumanians at Turtukai, taking over 25,000 prisoners. On Sept. 20, Gen. Falkenhayn began an attack from Hungary against the Roumanian armies at Kronstadt and Hermannstadt, driving them back home over the mountains. Worse still, the Russian armies in Galicia, which were to help Roumania, were themselves first stopped by new German armies, and then slowly but surely driven eastward and out of the war. Berlin had known the actual condition of affairs in Russia much better than

## FREDERIC NEWS

Elijah Flagg was up from Detroit to visit his mother who will be 90 years old the ninth of November. David Flagg is helping his sister Mrs. Patterson look after the old lady, who is smart for her age.

Mrs. Mills, an old resident of twenty-five years ago, now of Crosswell, with her daughters Eva and Mrs. Geo. Miller and daughter Mrs. Cody were calling on old friends last week.

The remains of Thomas Armstrong were brought from Lansing last Friday for interment, a number of cars accompanying them.

Chester Burke who was operated on at Gaylord hospital for appendicitis is home again. Carl Olsen of DeWard was also another patient.

Jack Smith, one of the carpenters at the Pines last summer, has special dates here quite often.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aimes of Lansing spent a few days at E. McCracken's last week.

A man who got his car damaged while not stopping for the Trunk Line is getting it repaired, hoping for better luck next time.

James Tobin and wife are visiting in Bay City this week.

Thomas Armstrong Passes.  
Friends and relatives of Thomas F. Armstrong were saddened by his sudden death, Wednesday, Oct. 14.

Born in Canada, Sept. 14, 1864, Mr. Armstrong was brought to Crosswell in Sanilac county by his parents at the age of 6 weeks. In 1896 he was married to Miss Emma May Hill in Estey, Michigan.

Mr. Armstrong was well known in Frederic, having worked on the railroad since 1918. He resided with his brother Charles Armstrong.

The deceased had been ill for two years. In February of 1930, he left Frederic and went to Midland where he was under the doctor's care for some time, then leaving for Lansing where he died at his brother's home at 1810 Lyons Ave.

He is survived by a son, Raymond Armstrong of Midland, three brothers John of Virginia City, Minn.; Erven of Oshtemo, Mich.; and Charles of Lansing. There are also eight nephews, five nieces and four grandchildren.

Burial took place in Oakwood cemetery at Frederic, Friday, Oct. 15.

## MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by John E. Westcott, a widow, to Archibald Howse and Lydia A. Howse, dated the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1928, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1928 in Liber H. of mortgages, on page 399 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, and taxes the sum of one thousand three hundred thirty-eight and eighteen hundredths dollars, and an attorney's fee as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the 16th day of January, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the Court house, in the Village of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so aforesaid due on said mortgage, with five per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to wit: the south half of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section sixteen, town twenty-eight north, range three west, Maple Forest Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

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London, Paris, and Rome. Russia was now fighting her last fight in the World war.

From Autocracy to Communism.  
In 1812 Russia burned Moscow in midwinter and drove Napoleon back home and into exile at Elba. In the peace, treaties of 1816, Russia was acknowledged the king pin of Europe on land, as Britain was supreme on the seven seas. For a hundred years, the Russian colossus maintained this dominance in the Balkans and Europe generally. Germany alone seemed to sense the need of modern finance and industrialization for a modern war. None knew better than Berlin, the deficiencies of Russia: in all things that made for war power in the 20th century. When Prussia defeated France in 1870, Russia was the friend of Berlin. But when Berlin began to look toward Baghdad through the Balkans about 1884, Russia formed an entente with France. Berlin formed the triple alliance of Germany, Austria and Italy. When Berlin began the naval race with Britain after the defeat of Russia by Japan in 1904, the balance of power in Europe gravitated from St. Petersburg to Berlin. Thereupon Britain sided with France and Russia, in order to maintain the balance of power in Europe. This very year, the League of Nations court has decided the customs union problem of Germany and Austria by a national division of 9 to 7, that indicates that this dangerous division of Europe into two hostile groups, still exists to this day. When on June 28, 1914, a Serbian killed the Austrian archduke, and his wife at Sarajevo in Bosnia, Russia promptly came to the aid of Serbia and so precipitated the long dreaded Armageddon. Paris and London were confident Russia could crush both Austria and Germany with their help. Then Hin-

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